

## Message Text

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TAGS: PEPR, SW, YU  
SUBJECT: MORE ON SWEDISH-YUGOSLAV DIFFERENCES

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1. BEGIN UNCLASSIFIED: DAGENS NYHETER REPORTED FEBRUARY 15 THAT GOS HAD EXPELLED BERISLAV DELALE, AN EMPLOYEE OF THE YUGOSLAV EMBASSY, ON FEBRUARY 3 FOR SUSPECTED INVOLVEMENT WITH TWO YUGOSLAVS ARRESTED IN ESKILSTUNA (SUBURB OF STOCKHOLM) AND ACCUSED OF ESPIONAGE FOR YUGOSLAV AUTHORITIES. DELALE IS BELIEVED TO BE CONTACT WHO FORWARDED INFORMATION TO BELGRADE. HE WAS NOT ON DIPLOMATIC LIST.

2. MEANWHILE, A YUGOSLAV EMBASSY PRESS SPOKESMAN, MIRKO KALEZIC, STATED AT A FEBRUARY 14 PRESS BRIEFING THAT HIS AMBASSADOR'S RECENT PROTEST TO MFA APPLIED NOT ONLY TO A RECENT PROGRAM ON CROATIAN SEPARATISTS, BUT ALSO TO  
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"SYNCHRONIZED MEASURES OF THE SWEDISH GOVERNMENT AND TELEVISION AGAINST YUGOSLAVIA." KALEZIC SAW A CONNECTION BETWEEN THE TV PROGRAM AND THE RECENT ARREST OF THE TWO YUGOSLAVS FOR ESPIONAGE. HE CONCLUDED THAT "CERTAIN CIRCLES IN SWEDEN WANT TO DISTURB SWEDISH-YUGOSLAV RELATIONS, BUT THE SWEDISH GOVERNMENT AND THE SWEDISH PEOPLE DO NOT DESIRE ANY

SUCH DETERIORATION IN RELATIONS." END UNCLASSIFIED

3. BEGIN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE: COMMENT: PRESS  
CONFERENCE IS UNDOUBTEDLY LATEST PART OF EFFORT OF  
YUGOSLAVS TO PUT FORWARD A BOLD FACE--IMPLICITLY  
DENYING THE JUSTIFICATION OF THE CHARGES MADE AGAINST  
THEM, BUT NOT WISHING TO ALLOW THE ISSUE TO CAUSE A  
FURTHER DETERIORATION IN RELATIONS. END LIMITED  
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